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Dear Sir:

Transmitted for filing with the Patent and Trademark Office are the following documents for the above-referenced patent application:

1. Amended Appeal Brief Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 41.37 with attached Appendices;
2. Amendment;
3. Transmittal Letter;
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